



# U.S. House of Representatives Committee on the Judiciary F. James Sensenbrenner, Jr., Chairman

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## **News Advisory**

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## **Judiciary Committee to Markup Bipartisan Voting Rights Act Extension Wednesday**

**What:** Markup of H.R. 9, "The Fannie Lou Hamer, Rosa Parks, and Coretta Scott King Voting Rights Act Reauthorization and Amendments Act of 2006"

**Who:** Full Committee – Rep. F. James Sensenbrenner, Jr. (R-Wis.), Chairman

**When:** 10:00 AM, Wednesday May 10, 2006

**Where:** 2141 Rayburn Building

*Last week, House Judiciary Committee Chairman Sensenbrenner introduced bipartisan legislation, H.R. 9, that would extend expiring provisions of the Voting Rights Act (VRA) for 25 more years. This legislation has 58 bipartisan cosponsors including Speaker Hastert, Minority Leader Pelosi, Judiciary Ranking Member Conyers, Constitution Subcommittee Chairman Chabot, Constitution Subcommittee Ranking Member Nadler, Congressional Black Caucus Chairman Watt, Rep. John Lewis, and others.*

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